Umetco Minerals Corporation



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October 6, 1986

Mr. Craig T. Wentzel Stratcor P. O. Box 66 Niagara Falls, NY 14302

Subject. Disposal of "Super Sucker" Dust

Dear Craig:

On July 17, 1986 I sent documentation to Dr. R. L. Miller concerning removal of the "Super Sucker" dust from the yard area east of No. 6 Furnace Room (Attachment 1).

On July 22, 1986 George Parker sent a letter to Dr. R. L. Miller informing him that he had inspected the area and was satisfied (Attachment 2).

Although EP Toxicity tests indicated that dust was non-toxic we proceeded to remove the dust from the property to a sanitary landfill. This fulfilled Item 3 (f) of Exhibit E, Environmental Agreement (Niagara Falls) between Umetco Minerals Corporation and Strategic Minerals Corporation which reads:

"(f) "Super Sucker Dust. Umetco further agrees to test the various waste piles of plant dust deposited by the "Super Sucker" industrial cleaning firm in the plant yard to determine whether such piles are Hazardous Waste (as defined in the Resource Conservation Recovery Act or comparable state law). If any such piles are determined to be Hazardous Waste, under applicable laws, Umetco agrees to assume the cost of removal and disposal of such piles."

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Would you and Dr. Miller, as members of the Stratcor Environmental Coordination Committee for the Niagara Plant acknowledge acceptance by signing the second copy of this letter and returning it to me.

Very truly yours,

Donald J. Hansen

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Mr. C. T. Wentzel U. S. Vanadium Corporation P. O. Box 66 Niagara Falls, NY 14302

Subject: Disposal of Sample Cans

Dear Craig.

The last of the metallurgical samples stored in the Globar area that dated back as far as 1902 were removed from the Niagara Plant on November 24, 1986 by SCA Chemical Services. A copy of the Hazardous Waste Manifest is appended. An earlier shipment of non-hazardous samples were removed by BFI Waste Systems on October 10, 1986 (manifest appended). Radioactive samples were included in a shipment to Barnwell Waste Management Facility, South Carolina September 19, 1986.

On Wednesday, November 26, 1986, Al Gonas and I accompanied Mr. Herb Wilber to inspect the area in Globar where the samples has been stored. A radioactive survey was made at that time to confirm that no traces of the radioactive samples had been left on the shelves or in the storage containers. A copy of the letter from Herb Wilber to you attesting to the satisfactory completion of the sample cans removal is also appended.

This completes the obligation of Umetco Minerals to Stratcor Minerals Corporation as outlined in Item 3 (g) of the Environmental Agreement (Niagara Falls). between Umetco Minerals Corporation and U. S. Vanadium Corporation which reads:

"(g) <u>Sample Cans</u> Umetco further agrees to assume the cost of removal and disposal of the numerous small sample cans in the globar area."

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Would you and Dr. Miller, as members of the Stratcor Environmental Coordination Committee for the Niagara Plant, acknowledge acceptance by signing the second copy of this letter and returning it to me.

Very truly yours,

Donald J. Hansen

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